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Docket 45401-64

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Re:

Applicant: BALAN, Gabi et al.

Group Art Unit: possibly 3747

Serial No.: Divisional of 10/051,284

Examiner: possibly McMahon

Filed: herewith

For: "HYDROGEN GENERATING APPARATUS AND COMPONENTS THEREFOR"

Honourable Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks,  
Washington, D.C. 20231,  
U.S.A.

Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

At divisional filing and prior to the determination of filing fees, permission is requested to amend the application as follows: